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STATE OF NEW JERSEY
DEPARTMENT OF LAW & PUBLIC SAFETY
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BOARD OF NURSING

IN THE MATTER OF SUSPENSION OR REVOCATION OF THE LICENSE OF

Administrative Action

KRISTIN DISANDRO, RN License # 26NO1183500 CONSENT ORDER

TO PRACTICE NURSING IN THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY

This matter was opened to the New Jersey State Board of
Nursing (the "Board") upon receipt of a written petition from
Kristin DiSandro, ("Respondent") to terminate the active portion
of a suspension imposed by a Consent Order filed on January 24,
2011. The Consent Order provided that Respondent's license to
practice nursing was suspended for five years, with three years
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of the suspension to be actively served and two years of the suspension to be stayed and served as a period of probation.

Respondent has served the three year period of active suspension. Pursuant to the Consent Order, Respondent was ordered to pay a six thousand dollar (\$6000) civil penalty, which has been paid. During her period of active suspension, Respondent has secured a non-nursing position in the healthcare field and has completed her required continuing education.

The Board has determined that Respondent has completed the terms of the Consent Order pertaining to her period of active suspension, and that the within Order is sufficiently protective of the public health, safety and welfare; and in lieu of further proceedings, and for other good cause shown;

IT IS on this <u>23</u> day of <u>May</u>, 2014
HEREBY ORDERED AND AGREED that:

- 1. Kristin DiSandro's license to practice as a registered professional nurse in New Jersey shall be reinstated upon Board review and approval of a completed application for reinstatement along with the requisite fees, information and the required Criminal History Background Check, if not already submitted.
- 2. A two year period of probation shall commence upon Respondent's employment in a nursing position in New Jersey and

shall only be served while Respondent is employed in a position which requires an active nursing license in New Jersey. During probation, Respondent shall notify the Board within ten days in writing: after she obtains employment as a nurse; when there is any change in nursing employment; and if she is arrested, indicted, or convicted for any crime or disorderly persons offense. Any arrest, indictment, or conviction for any crime or disorderly persons offense within the probationary period shall be considered a violation of probation. Additionally, during the period of probation, Respondent shall submit performance evaluations of her work in a nursing position every six months. All reports and notifications shall be directed to George Hebert, Executive Director, New Jersey Board of Nursing, 124 Halsey Street, 6th Floor, P.O. Box 45010, Newark, New Jersey 07101.

- 3. Respondent shall obey all the laws of the State of New Jersey, the United States and their political subdivisions as well as all regulations, rules or statutes pertaining to the practice of nursing in the State or jurisdiction in which she practices nursing, as well as the bylaws of any facility at which she works.
 - 4. Respondent shall petition the Board in writing when Page 3 of 5

she has worked in New Jersey for two years on probation if she wishes to have the period of probation lifted.

Any deviation from the terms of this Order without the 5. prior written consent of the Board shall constitute a failure to comply with the terms of this Order. Upon receipt of any reliable information indicating that Respondent has violated any term of this Order, Respondent's license may be automatically suspended until further Order of the Board. Within fifteen days following receipt of such notice, Respondent may request a hearing to contest the entry of such an Order. At any such hearing, the sole issue shall be whether any of the information received was materially false. In addition, the Board reserves the right to bring further disciplinary action upon receipt of any new information.

NEW JERSEY STATE BOARD OF NURSING

By:

Patricia Murphy,

Board President

I have read and understand the within Consent Order and agree to be bound by its terms. A

Kristin DiSandro, RN

RN License #26NO1183500

Consent as to form and entry.

JoAnn Pietro, Esq.

Attorney for Kristin DiSandro, RN